

NONCOMMERCIAL CHRISTMAS TREE CUTTING REMOVAL PERMIT

Expiration Date: December 25, 2020 Permission is hereby given to: Christmas Tree Permit Purchaser. Subject to, and in strict compliance with, all the following conditions (both General and Other) those listed below, the Permittee named herein is authorized to harvest and remove the forest products described below.

THE FOLLOWING ARE GENERAL PERMIT CONDITIONS:

1. This sale is final and payments are not subject to refund.
2. Permit must be in the Permittee's possession while harvesting and transporting products. Copies are not allowed.
3. This permit is nontransferable.
4. This permit and activities hereunder are subject to all applicable Federal statutes and regulations and State and local laws. In case of conflict, Federal statutes and regulations shall take precedence. Where applicable, a Memorandum of Agreement between the Forest Service and BLM governs administration and enforcement of this permit. (Sec. 330, P.L. 106 -291)
5. Motorized vehicles are not allowed off existing roads that are open to the public, unless otherwise specified within this permit.
6. Permittee parking shall not block traffic or impede fire or emergency vehicles.
7. Permittee shall remove all trash and litter resulting from Permittee's activities.
8. Concurrent with forest product removal activities, slash and unused vegetative material resulting from Permittee's activities shall be removed from roads and ditches and scattered in the surrounding landscape.
9. Permittee shall comply with fire requirements and current restrictions to prevent forest fires.
10. Permittee shall pay for or repair all damage to natural features; riparian areas; other vegetation; and roads, trails, fences, ditches, telephone lines, or other improvements resulting from Permittee's activities under this permit.
11. The Forest Service reserves the right to unilaterally revoke this permit for Permittee's noncompliance with its terms and conditions or when revocation is in the public's interest.
12. Regardless of whether forest products are removed, this permit will terminate either at midnight of the termination date shown above, or when the allowed quantity is reached, whichever comes first.
13. None of the terms or conditions of this permit may be varied or modified, except for unilateral modifications by the Forest Service.
14. Permittee agrees to hold the Government harmless from any claim or damage or loss of property, personal injury, or death.
15. Collection of forest products is permitted only in areas described by this permit.
16. Individuals need to be 18 in order to purchase a permit.

THE FOLLOWING ARE OTHER PERMIT CONDITIONS:

1. It is prohibited to transport Christmas Trees without having this permit on the dash of your vehicle. 36 CFR 261.10(I)
2. Cutting is prohibited in developed campgrounds, administrative sites, areas designated with closure or any cutting prohibited sign, and trees with paint on them unless specifically authorized on your permit. 36 CFR 261.10(I)
3. Cutting any tree within 300 feet of Idaho State Highways is prohibited. 36 CFR 261.10(I)
4. An individual or household may not purchase or remove more than three Christmas Trees under a Non-commercial forest product cutting and removal authorization. 36 CFR 261.10(I)
5. Leaving stumps higher than six inches (6") from ground level is prohibited. 36 CFR 261.10(I)
6. Failure to have this permit and tag in your possession when cutting or transporting this forest product (Christmas tree) is prohibited. 36 CFR 261.10(I)
7. Failing to stop at checking stations established by the Forest Service for the purpose of inspecting for compliance with the conditions of this permit prohibited. 36 CFR 261.1 (I)
8. Cutting a tree taller than twelve feet (12') from the ground level is prohibited, unless in a special designated area.
9. Noncompliance with the conditions of this permit can result in a Notice of Violation under the authority of Title 36 of the Code of Federal Regulations, revocation of the permit, and confiscation of the forest product.

This permit is only valid for designated cutting areas on National Forest System lands within the Boise National Forest.

For Further Information visit: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/boise> or www.Recreation.gov

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